

Application No. 10/605,615

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Remarks:

Claims 1 through 24 remain pending in the present application. Independent claims 1 and 11 have been amended. The Patent Office has rejected claims 1-4, 8, 11-20 and 24 as being anticipated by Hamann US 2004/0091557 under 35 USC §102e. In the interest of advancing prosecution, and without any admission as to the propriety of the rejection, by this amendment claims 1 and 11 have been amended to specify that the glove mount contains at least two glove seats which are designed to secure the glove by friction. In contrast, Hamann uses two tapered rings to sandwich the glove and prevent slipping.

The Applicant thanks the Patent Office for its review of this matter, for identification of allowable subject matter, and respectfully submits that the present claims are in condition for allowance and as such requests an early notice of Allowance or other favorable action. Please charge any prosecution fees including the fee for any extension of time which is due to Kimberly-Clark Corporation's Deposit Account No. 11-0875. **The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at their convenience to discuss any minor issues which may remain after consideration of the present amendment.**

Respectfully submitted,


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